

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

~~The present invention relates to a~~A keyboard and a method for manufacturing a~~the keyboard~~
using silicon rubber and a keyboard so manufactured. The method for manufacturing the keyboard
~~according to the present comprises the steps of~~includes forming sheets from silicon rubber; ~~;~~; forming
the sheets into a top pad with keys integrally formed thereon and a bottom pad bonded to a bottom
surface of the top pad; ~~;~~; painting the keys through a silk-screen printing method; ~~;~~; and bonding the
top and bottom pads with silicon liquid rubber in a state where a flexible printed circuit board is
interposed between the pads. The keyboard ~~of the present invention~~ is configured in such a manner
that ~~a plurality of~~ the painted keys are arranged on a top surface of the top pad and the flexible
printed circuit board is interposed between the top and bottom pads so that the flexible printed circuit
board is electrically contacted to produce a desired sound from a speaker of a controller when a user
strikes the keys.